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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION
IMPORTER OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES
NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Pursuant to Title 21 Code of Federal Regulations
1301.34(a), this is notice that on September 12, 2011,
Johnson Matthey, Inc., Pharmaceutical Materials, 2003 Nolte
Drive, West Deptford, New Jersey 08066-1742, made
application by renewal to the Drug Enforcement
Administration (DEA) for registration as an importer of the
following basic classes of controlled substances listed in
schedule II:

Drug	Schedule
Coca Leaves (9040)	II
Thebaine (9333)	II
Opium, raw (9600)	II
Noroxymorphone (9668)	II
Poppy Straw Concentrate (9670)	II

The company plans to import the listed controlled
substances as raw materials, to be used in the manufacture
of bulk controlled substances, for distribution to its
customers.

No comments, objections, or requests for any hearings will be accepted on any application for registration or re-registration to import crude opium, poppy straw, concentrate of poppy straw, and coca leaves. Comments and requests for hearings on applications to import narcotic raw material are not appropriate, in accordance with 72 FR 3417 (2007).

In regards to the non-narcotic raw material, the company plans to import gram amounts to be used as reference standards for sale to its customers. Any bulk manufacturer who is presently, or is applying to be, registered with DEA to manufacture such basic classes of controlled substances listed in schedule I or II, which fall under the authority of section 1002(a)(2)(B) of the Act (21 USC § 952(a)(2)(B)) may, in the circumstances set forth in 21 USC § 958(i), file comments or objections to the issuance of the proposed registration and may, at the same time, file a written request for a hearing on such application pursuant to 21 CFR § 1301.43 and in such form as prescribed by 21 CFR § 1316.47.

Any such written comments or objections should be addressed, in quintuplicate, to the Drug Enforcement Administration, Office of Diversion Control, Federal Register Representative (ODL), 8701 Morrisette Drive,

Springfield, Virginia 22152; and must be filed no later than [Insert date 30 days from date of publication].

This procedure is to be conducted simultaneously with, and independent of, the procedures described in 21 CFR § 1301.34(b), (c), (d), (e), and (f). As noted in a previous notice published in the Federal Register on September 23, 1975, 40 FR 43745, all applicants for registration to import a basic class of any controlled substances in schedule I or II are, and will continue to be, required to demonstrate to the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, that the requirements for such registration pursuant to 21 USC § 958(a); 21 USC § 823(a); and 21 CFR § 1301.34(b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) are satisfied.

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Office of Diversion Control
Drug Enforcement Administration

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